

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-08

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FM AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9350

UNCLAS ADDIS ABABA 3507

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: EAIR, PFOR, ET  
SUBJECT: ETHIOPIAN AIRLINES BOEING JET TRANSACTION

REF: ADDIS ABABA 3369

ON AUGUST 4 ETHIOPIAN AIRLINES (EAL) SIGNED IN  
ADDIS ABABA LETTER OF INTENT TO PURCHASE TWO 727'S  
FROM BOEING. B/GEN TAFESSE, EAL GENERAL MANAGER IS  
EXPECTED IN SEATTLE O/A AUGUST 14 FOR FORMAL  
CONTRACT SIGNING.  
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## Message Attributes

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